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GERMANS OCCUPY OSTEND; ON THE EAST BATTLE IS RAGING NEAR WARSAW BUT RUSSIANS ARE CONFIDENT GERMAN SUBMARINE SINKS BRITISH CRUISER; ANOTHER ESCAPES

7,000 TON CRUISER HAWKE SENT TO BOTTOM; ANOTHER ESCAPES SUBMARINE ATTACK

GERMAN UNDERWATER CRAFT STRIKES HARD AND QUICK—CAPTURE OF OSTEND BY TEUTONS MOMENTARILY EXPECTED—BRITISH AIRMAN DROPS HAND GRENADE, DEALING DEATH IN GERMAN CONVOY—OFFICIAL LIST OF BRITISH OFFICERS SHOWS MORE THAN 1200 KILLED, WOUNDED AND MISSING—FRENCH CLAIM TO BE ALMOST WITHIN CANNON-SHOT OF METZ—PORTIONS OF KRONPRINZ'S ARMY RETAIN STRONG POSITIONS NEAR ST. MIHIEL—GERMANS ADVANCE TO AUDENARDE.

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless.]

LONDON, England, Oct. 16.—A German submarine in the North Sea has sunk the British cruiser Hawke, with a complement of 400 men, of whom 50 were saved. The cruiser Thesens was also attacked by the submarine but escaped. The fight took place yesterday.

The British cruiser Hawke was built in 1891, of 7350 tons. The Hawke will be remembered for the collision with the great liner Olympic in 1911, in which the Olympic was badly damaged. The Thesens, reported attacked also but escaped, is a sister warship of the Hawke, built a year later.

FRENCH HAMMER GERMAN LEFT BACK; CROWN PRINCE HOLDS TO STRONG POINTS

PARIS, France, Oct. 16.—(Official)—Progress as indicated by yesterday's announcements has been confirmed.

Our left wing now extends from Ypres to the sea. The French left wing has brought the French almost within cannon-shot of Metz, Germany. Portions of the German Crown Prince's army, however, still doggedly retain strong positions near St. Mihiel.

The French command the route from Metz to Nancy, menacing the German communications.

The position of the German wedge that was driven forward from Pont-a-Mousson to St. Mihiel is becoming increasingly uncomfortable.

GERMANY CLAIMS EIGHT RUSSIAN ARMY CORPS ARE DEFEATED IN POLAND FIGHT

BERLIN, Germany, Oct. 16.—Eight Russian army corps, engaged in battling with the Germans between Warsaw and Ivangorod, have been repulsed.

Hostile Wings Reach to Sea And Frontal Attacks Inevitable

LONDON, England, Oct. 16.—The capture of Ostend by the Germans is momentarily expected. Steamer service across the Channel has been suspended.

The Channel itself now bars further turning movements by the extreme wings of the army on the western end of the battle-line and frontal attacks are thus becoming inevitable as the next movements by the troops.

British Aviator Spreads Death by Dropping Hand Grenade

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 16.—(Official)—A British aviator, it is announced by the government office, has dropped a hand grenade (it is not stated where or when) in the midst of a small German convoy carrying field ammunition. Fifteen of the Germans were killed.

A subsequent reconnaissance by the Allies showed that fourteen motor lorries were wrecked by the missile's explosion and that debris covered a radius of 50 yards. Only charred scraps of boots and clothing were discoverable, testifying to the deadly effects of the grenade.

Many Casualties Among Army Officers of British Forces

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 16.—The official list of British army casualties shows that the total of British officers lost up to October 5 is 280 killed, 296 missing and 635 wounded.

Briton And Foe On Firing Line In The War Zone



General Sir Philip W. Chetwode, Bart., D. S. O., commander of the 5th British cavalry brigade (above), and General Eugene von Falkenhayn (below), German leader in Belgium.

JAPAN MAY YET WITHDRAW FROM 'FRISCO FAIR

California Legislation Possibly Will Work Against Premier Coast Event of 1915

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shipco.) TOKIO, Japan, Oct. 16.—The public is much stirred up over the news that the California legislature intends to pass a law depriving Japanese of the right to leasing lands.

By way of retaliation it is suggested, in some quarters, that Japan withdraw from the San Francisco exposition of next year.

In a letter which has been received by Central Union church from Dr. Doremus Scudder, who recently left for California to participate in a series of conferences and investigations having to do with the anti-land holding question, the statements in the foregoing cable despatch are virtually borne out.

The communication points out, it has been learned, that the situation in California regarding the passage of

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GERMANS OCCUPY OSTEND

Fugitives Arriving in Amsterdam Say Teuton Advance Unchecked—Building in London Seized and German Inmates Arrested on Suspicion of Making War Preparations—Thirty Miles From Warsaw a Heavy Battle is Raging, But People Return to City Confident that Danger From German Invaders is Over.

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless.] AMSTERDAM, Netherlands, Oct. 16.—Fugitives crossing the border from Belgium say that Ostend has been occupied by the Germans.

LONDON, England, Oct. 16.—The London police have seized a factory in the suburbs on suspicion that it might be used for hostile purposes. The factory commands several important railway junctions.

Twenty-two German inmates of the building were arrested. Although the building was of but a single story, it had massive concrete foundations and roof.

An establishment in Paris, belonging to the same firm, has been destroyed by orders of the French government.

BATTLE RAGING THIRTY MILES FROM WARSAW, BUT PEOPLE FEEL SAFE

PARIS, France, Oct. 16.—A despatch from Petrograd to the Havas News Agency says that the populace is returning to Warsaw and the banks are resuming business, the danger of capture by the German invaders being considered over.

A battle is raging 30 miles distant. The Germans attempted to storm the heights seven miles distant but were repulsed.

Earlier reports placed the main battle eight miles distant.

SUGAR RISES TO 4.51, MESSAGE TO A. & B. SAYS

Sugar today is on the rise.

Such is the welcome news received by Alexander & Baldwin in a cablegram this afternoon from their New York office. The cablegram states that there has been a sale affecting the Hawaiian sugar at 4.51 cents per pound.

The cablegram also stated that Peruvian sugar was in New York for delivery.

Locally it is rather expected that the bottom was reached with yesterday's quotation.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

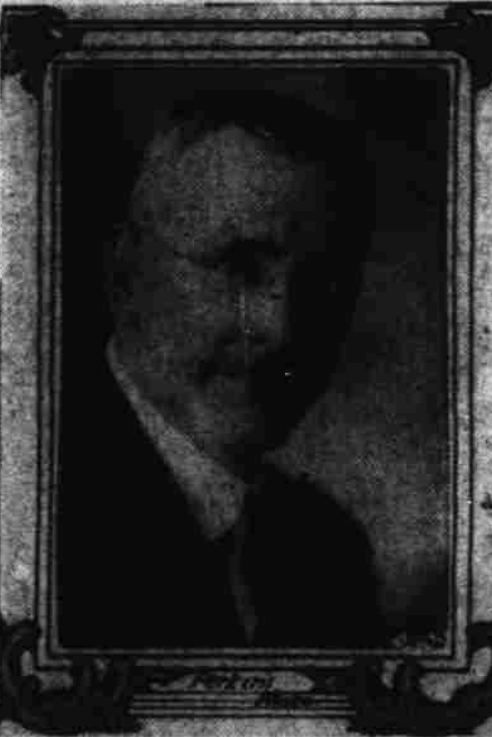
MADRID, Spain, Oct. 16.—The council of ministers yesterday approved of the early ratification of the treaty of arbitration recently negotiated between Spain and the United States.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 16.—President Wilson yesterday endorsed the candidacy of Governor Glynn of New York for re-election.

Laden with lumber the schooner Melrose is now 16 days out from Port Angeles.

Smiddy Divorces Jury And Politics And Gets "In Bad"



U. S. Marshal J. J. Smiddy, who offends Bourbons by not drawing political lines in selection of jury-men.

Chooses Venire of Republicans When Democrats, Good and True, Need Jobs and Coin

That certain members of the so-called "Paushi street bunch" of Democrats are peeved at U. S. Marshal Jerome J. Smiddy, and that they are voicing their peevishness from the street corners, is the story which leaked out of federal court circles this morning, coming from a source of good authority.

And the whole trouble, it is said, has grown out of the fact that Marshal Smiddy saw fit to choose eight Republicans for the special venire of the federal grand jury instead of eight Democrats. The rumor is that certain unemployed Democrats were anxiously awaiting these appointments on the grand jury and, as they were not forthcoming, have started what is said to be a campaign to "get" Mr. Smiddy.

The marshal smiled today when asked regarding the rumor. He refused to discuss the matter.

"This is the first I have heard of it," said M. C. Pacheco, chairman of the Democratic territorial committee, when informed of the rumor. "I don't see why our grand jurors should be packed with Democrats. Jurors are supposed to be composed of impartial men of good standing in the community, irrespective of politics. That would be bringing politics too near the judiciary to suit me."

When the federal grand jurors for the October term met for the first time Monday, it developed that eight more men would be necessary to make a legal body. Marshal Smiddy therefore was instructed by the court to secure a special venire of eight men, and to make a return at 2 o'clock that afternoon.

After he had secured the jurors, a story made the rounds that he had secured eight Democrats for the jury. Asked concerning this, Mr. Smiddy said that it was just the opposite; that there wasn't a Democrat among the jurors whom he had selected. He explained further that, owing to lack of time, he had selected the jurors in a hurry and had made no inquiries concerning politics.

According to a federal official, those unemployed Democrats who expected jury appointments are peeved and are now engineering a movement to "get the marshal's goat."

GEO. F. DAVIES IS PRIVATE IN BRITISH ARMY

George F. Davies of T. H. Davies & Co. has joined the British colors. He has enlisted as a private in one of the new regiments being formed.

This is the news in a recent letter from England, where Davies has been for a number of months. It is expected that he will be given a commission later in his regiment, though he enlisted as a private. The regiment is being put in shape for active service, according to report.

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MARCONI WIRELESS PLANT MAY BE CLOSED ON ORDERS FROM THE NAVY DEPARTMENT

MESSAGE RELATING TO ARRIVAL IN HONOLULU OF GERMAN CRUISER GEIER LEADS TO ORDER OF INVESTIGATION—STATION MAY BE SILENCED WITHIN 24 HOURS—ADMIRAL MOORE, COLLECTOR FRANKLIN AND MANAGER OF RADIO COMPANY WILL NOT DISCUSS MATTER CONTAINED IN ASSOCIATED PRESS DESPATCH.

[Associated Press by Commercial Pacific Cable.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 16.—Admiral C. B. T. Moore, commandant of the Pearl Harbor navy station, Oahu, Hawaii, and official censor of wireless stations throughout the Territory of Hawaii, has been ordered to close the Marconi wireless station on Oahu within 24 hours, unless some satisfactory explanation is given by the company for the sending out by wireless of the announcement of the arrival of the German cruiser Geier in Honolulu harbor yesterday.

The receipt of the above message by the Star-Bulletin was followed by discreet silence on the part of all who might have any knowledge of the action which it is presumed has been taken by the navy department.

However, according to a news item published this morning in the Hawaii Shipco, it is believed that the message may have been sent to the Shinyo Maru, warning her of the presence of the German vessel and advising her to steer a course clear of the port of Honolulu.

Another street report has it that the message that may lead to the closing of the recently opened wireless plant was addressed to Lloyd in London and was a notification of the arrival of the German cruiser and the steamer Lockman.

The Shinyo story, claiming to have authentic and "inside" information, states that the Shinyo will not arrive here this afternoon as had been expected, for the reason that the Shinyo and the cruisers said to be conveying her have learned of the Geier in Hawaiian waters.

Admiral Moore refused to discuss the cablegram when its text was read to him over the telephone this morning.

"This office can make no comment whatsoever," said the commandant.

GERMAN CRUISER GEIER TO REMAIN HERE FOR REPAIRS

The German unprotected cruiser Geier is still in port and as forecasted in the Star-Bulletin yesterday with every prospect of remaining here for some days pending the completion of repairs to its boilers and machinery.

Federal officials and consular representatives of interested powers have devoted much time since the arrival of the little war vessel in a close application to the intricacies and ramifications of the neutrality laws.

Collector of Customs Malcolm A. Franklin is interested in the status of the Geier in that Captain G. Raschoff has declared that the cruiser is in urgent need of repairs to machinery and boilers that may require weeks to complete. The collector has under his jurisdiction the supply of about 300 tons of coal that today is going into the bunkers of the Geier with the assistance of a picked crew of men from the German steamers Pommer, Prinz Waldemar, Loongmoon and other refugee craft now stationed at the port.

Consul Georg Rodiek, representing Germany, has had much to do in (Continued on page two)

French Embassy Gives Out News of Allies' Advances

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless.] WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 16.—The French embassy here, after receiving advices from the home government, announced today that the Allies had captured Hennesamps, southwest of Arras. The Germans have advanced from Courtrai to Audenarde.

Goethals Expects Canal To Reopen Within A Week

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 16.—Col. Goethals cabled to Washington today that the Panama Canal will reopen in a week unless there are new slides. The present blockade will be short.

General Freight Agent C. P. Morse of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company's office here advises the Star-Bulletin that he received today the following wireless from the American-Hawaiian Company:

"According to best information obtainable canal closed a few days only on account of slide."

German Spy Caught at Dover

DOVER, England, Oct. 16.—A German spy in Belgian uniform, carrying a Red Cross brassard, has been caught among the Belgian refugees landing here.